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A credit to our credit card is respectfully requested for an overpayment made in connection with the above-identified application. When a three-month extension of time fee was paid on September 17, 2009, it was inadvertently paid as a large entity, and therefore the fee of \$1110.00 was charged to the credit card. The Applicant is entitled to small entity status, and therefore the correct amount to be paid for the three-month extension of time was \$555.00. Therefore it is requested that the overpayment of \$555.00 be credited to Applicant's undersigned attorney by crediting \$555.00 to our American Express credit card account no. 3782 926477 22021 under our Docket No. JCE-5331-108.

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